REMARKS

Claim 245 was previously dependent on claim 242; this should have been 236. In claim 259, "said mechanical load" did not have proper antecedent basis, and the claim has been amended accordingly. No new material has been added.

CONCLUSION

Applicant respectfully submits that this application, as amended, remains in suitable condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes that discussing the application the Applicant over the telephone might advance issuance, Applicant would welcome the opportunity to do so.

Respectfully submitted

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